

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

BANGALORE, HELD AT THE OFFICE PREMISES AT 7.30 A.M.

ON SATURDAY, THE 25TH NOVEMBER 1911.

G. Aravamuda Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L., *Offg. President and Deputy Commissioner*—Present.N. Subba Rao, Esq., *Vice-President*—Present.*Ex-officio Members.**Absent*—The Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division.*Present*—A. K. Panl, Esq., F.L.M.S., D.P.H., etc.,
Health Officer, Bangalore City.*Do*—The Amildar, Bangalore Taluk.*Municipal Councillors.**I—Palace Division.**Present*—Rev. D. A. Rees.*Absent*—C. S. Dorasami Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.*II—Bale Pete Division.**Present*—D. B. Ramachandra Mudaliar, Esq.*Do*—C. V. Narasimha Iyengar, Esq.,
B.A., B.L.*III—Mānavarte Pete Division.**Present*—B. K. Garudachar, Esq.*Do*—B. Ramachandrappa, Esq.*IV—Alsur Pete Division.**Absent*—B. Basappa, Esq.*Present*—D. Adeppa, Esq.*V—Nagarth Pete Division.**Present*—B. V. Ramaswami Chetty, Esq., B.A.*Do*—Mir Mahomed Gows Razvi, Esq.*Do*—B. Usman Khan, Esq.*VI—Lal-Bagh Division.**Absent*—G. H. Krumbiegel, Esq., F.R.H.S.*Present*—M. Subbaiya, Esq., B.A.*VII—Fort Division.**Present*—H. Ramaiya, Esq.*Do*—B. Hanumappa, Esq.*VIII—Basavangudi Division.**Present*—C. Krishnamurti, Esq.*Do*—Beli Srinivasa Rao, Esq.*IX—Malleswaram Division.**Present*—S. Venkatarangaiengar, Esq.*Absent*—D. Venkataramaiya, Esq., B.A.*Deferred propositions.*

1. Read docket No. 11, dated the 21st August 1911, from the President of the City Municipal Schools Committee, forwarding a proposition statement for the revision of the Secondary School Establishment of the City Municipal Kannada Boys' School.

Resolution.—Deferred to allow the permanent President an opportunity to discuss and express his opinion thereon.

2. Read Draft Bye-laws relating to the working of slaughterhouses in the City.

Also General and Revenue Secretary's letter No. 706—Ml. 24-09-5, dated the 25th July 1911, in the matter of levying ground rent on sheep and goats sold in the City.

Resolution.—Deferred.

3. Read General and Revenue Secretary's letter No. 79—Ml. 405-10-2, dated the 6th July 1911, forwarding a copy of the Sanitary Commissioner's letter No. 5197, dated the 16th May 1911, *in re* draft bye-laws framed by the Health Officer of the Bangalore City for regulating Dairies, and calling for the opinion of the Council thereon.

Resolution.—Deferred.

Ordinary propositions.

1. Read Cash account current, Demand, collection and balance statements, Progress report of works, Memo of visitors to the Srinivasa Mandiram Library, City Municipal Schools Returns, Langarkhana Return and Statement of materials for October 1911.

Resolution.—Passed.

2. Read Government Proceedings No. 3223-4—Ml. 131-11-7, dated the 4th November 1911, sanctioning a sum of Rs. 3,000 out of the City Municipal Funds for local celebrations in connection with the Coronation Festivities in December next.

Resolution.—Recorded.

3. Read appointment of a Sub-Committee in connection with the holding of the City Market Show in January next.

Resolution.—Proposed and carried that the Sub-Committee be formed of the following members *viz*:—

Messrs Beli Srinivasa Rao,
D. B. Ramachandra Mudaliar,
H. Ramaiya,
B. Oosman Khan,
D. Adeppa, and
M. Subbaiya.

4. Read Government Proceedings No. 9484-500—Ml. 120-10-49, dated the 18th May 1911, reviewing the Administration Reports and Accounts of the Municipalities in the Mysore State for 1909-10.

Resolution.—Recorded.

5. Read Government Proceedings No. 1961-73—San. 37-11-2, dated the 11th September 1911, sanctioning the extension of the payment of rewards to inoculated persons from among the cooli classes for further period of one year.

Resolution.—Recorded.

6. Read Government Proceedings No. Fl. 1306-49—G. F. 237-10-3, dated the 15th September 1911, directing the payment of house-building advances in the case of a single person to build only one house in the extensions of a City.

Resolution.—Recorded.

7. Read Government Proceedings No. 2229-30—Ml. 81-11-2, dated the 15th September 1911, sanctioning the employment of a watchman on Rs. 6 per mensem for another year for the Malleswaram Bathing Ghat.

Resolution.—Recorded.

8. Read letter No. 2231—Ml. 25-11-2, dated the 15th September 1911, from the General and Revenue Secretary, stating that Government see no grounds to reconsider the orders already passed in the issue of stamped receipts by the Municipalities for the payments received by them, under the Stamp Regulation.

Resolution.—Recorded.

9. Read Government Proceedings No. 2258—Ml. 286-10-4, dated the 16th September 1911, passing orders on the remission statements submitted, with observation on certain items.

Resolution.—Recorded, with the remark that further explanation may be prepared and circulated.

10. Read Government Proceedings No. 2316-7—Ml. 61-11-6, dated the 19th September 1911, sanctioning 19 estimates aggregating Rs. 20,459 for the special repairs of portions of certain roads in the City.

Resolution.—Recorded, with the recommendation that the estimates relating to Agrahar road and Gundopanth street road be deferred execution, in case funds are not available for the repairs urgently needed for some of the important lanes of the City, consideration of which should immediately be taken up by the Municipal Executive.

11. Read the Sanitary Commissioner's Memo No. 2070, dated the 14th November 1911, forwarding a copy of Government Proceedings No. 3460-1—San. 79-11-2, dated the 9th idem, sanctioning the continuance of the present system of rewarding rat catchers till the end of December 1911 in the Bangalore City at the reduced rates of 3 pies per rodent.

Resolution.—Recorded.

12. Read Government Proceedings No. 2816-7—Ml. 61-11-9, dated the 19th October 1911, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 2,804 for the special repair of portions of the Mysore road.

Resolution.—Recorded.

13. Read General and Revenue Secretary's Memo No. 2354, dated the 20th September 1911, forwarding copies of revised Demand Register and other Forms, and calling for the views of the Municipal Council thereon.

Resolved that the question be referred to the Managing Committee for an expression of its opinion for the consideration of the Council.

14. Read Government Proceedings No. 2427-8—Ml. 61-11-7, dated the 25th September 1911, sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 1,474 for improving the Lal-Bagh road by easing the sharp curve at its junction with the Mission road.

Resolution.—Recorded.

15. Read Government Proceedings No. 2441-2—Ml. 113-11-2, dated the 26th September 1911, passing orders on the resolutions of the New Extension Committee that a separate account should be kept for the assessment on houses recovered in that Extension until the formal transfer thereof to the Municipality.

Resolution.—Recorded.

16. Read Government Proceedings No. 2700-40—Med. 2-8-98, dated the 16th October 1911, extending to certain officers of the Prisons Department the power of granting concessions to indigent persons to enable them when bitten by rabid animal to proceed to the Pasteur Institute at Coonoor for treatment.

Resolution.—Recorded.

17. Read Government Proceedings No. 3110-2—Ml. 442-07-9, dated the 1st November 1911, approving the Chief Engineer's proposal of fixing the limit of distance between public stand-pipes to range from 500 feet. to 1,000 feet.

Resolution.—The consideration of this matter should be deferred until the next meeting.

18. Read Government Proceedings No. 3274-6—L. B. 2-11, dated the 6th November 1911, sanctioning the cost of maintaining the portion of the road outside the Municipal limits leading to Mulkattamma's temple from City Municipal Funds.

Resolution.—Recorded.

19. Read Government Proceedings No. 3279—Ml. 433-10-3, dated the 6th November 1911, observing that the cars of the Motor Transport Company are not liable to Municipal taxation for a period of five years under para 2 of Government Order No. 8208-23—Ml. 316-10-2, dated the 3rd April 1911, and sanctioning the levy of a tax of Rs. 30 on private motor cars per annum, instead of at Rs. 6 as at present, under Section 4 of Regulation IX of 1911.

Resolution.—Recorded, with the observation that the Municipal Executive be desired to see that the terms of the exemption are strictly complied with by the Motor Transport Companies.

20. Read opinion of the City Improvement Committee, approving the estimate amounting to Rs. 3,273 for lowering to a depth of 3 feet the dismantled fort wall from the Albert Victor Road towards the north to a length of 410 feet.

Resolution.—Approved.

21. Read Sanitary Engineer's letter No. 687, dated the 16th October 1911, *in re* opening out a road behind Mr. H. Ramiah's house in the V-Main Road, Chamarajpet.

Resolved that the expression of the opinion of the City Improvement Committee be called on the subject of the formation of the road and throwing open the land for building purposes.

22. Read Municipal Engineer's Memo No. 598, dated the 4th October 1911, regarding the acquisition of a plot of ground measuring $46\frac{2}{3}$ square yards for widening the road at the entrance into the Municipal Garden from the Kotige lane.

Resolved that the opinion of the City Improvement Committee be solicited in the matter.

23. Read Sanitary Engineer's letter No. 649, dated the 21st September 1911, regarding the formation of a road to the proposed burial ground for the Basavangudi Extension.

Resolved that the work be taken in hand this year, there being a provision in the budget.

24. Read opinion of the City Improvement Committee regarding the opening of a conservancy lane behind house No. 19 in Cubbon Pet high road.

Resolution.—Approved.

25. Read Memo No. 23, dated the 8th November 1911, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding copy of a communication from the Honorary Secretary of the Xmas Fete and Industrial Exhibition of Bangalore to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, requesting some contribution towards the Prize Fund for the Cattle Show to be held during the ensuing Xmas week in the Cubbon Park.

Resolved that a sum of rupees fifty be given as grant-in-aid to the Fete Committee for purposes of Cattle Show, the source from which the amount may be met being left for the consideration of the Municipal Executive.

26. Read Bangalore District Deputy Commissioner's docket No. R. 893, dated 31st October 1911, requesting to point out the source from which the cost of the acquisition of certain lands for opening a conservancy lane to the east of the Sri Venkataramanaswami temple on the Avenue road has to be met.

Resolved that the amount may be met out of the provision made under the head "Compensation" in the current year's budget.

G. ARAVAMUDA IYENGAR,
Offg. President.